



Nominate a corn grower for the promotion board

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MADISON – This is your chance to nominate a corn grower to serve on the Wisconsin Corn Promotion Board. Nominations are now being accepted in Districts 3, 5 and 6.

The Wisconsin Corn Promotion Board oversees the use of assessment dollars for research, product development, international marketing and education. Last year, Wisconsin harvested 445 million bushels of corn for grain.

To be nominated, a person must be an affected producer. An affected producer is someone who has grown and sold corn into commercial channels within in the last three years and resides in the district. Affected producers can self-nominate or nominate another individual.

The following counties make up Districts 3, 5 and 6:

- District 3 includes Forest, Florence, Marinette, Langlade, Oconto, Shawano, Door, Outagamie, Brown, Kewaunee, Winnebago, Calumet, Manitowoc, Fond du Lac, and Sheboygan counties.
- District 5 includes La Crosse, Vernon, Crawford, Richland, Grant, Iowa, and Lafayette counties.
- District 6 includes Sauk and Dane counties.

A printable nomination form is available online at datep.wi.gov/About/Boards_and_Councils/Marketing_Boards/Corn_Board. Nomination forms can also be requested by calling 608-224-5116 or emailing stacie.ashby@wisconsin.gov with your name, address and district number.

Nomination forms need to be signed by five affected producers in the district and be notarized. Notarized nomination forms must be postmarked by December 6, 2014 and returned to: Market Orders Program, 2811 Agriculture Drive, Madison, WI 53708. Notarized nomination forms must be received in hard copy and not by email.

Wisconsin Corn Promotion Board elections will be held December 19, 2014 – January 17, 2015. Elected board members will serve three-year terms beginning February 1, 2015 and ending January 31, 2018.

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